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PATENT APPLICATION

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For: PRINTING BY SWITCHING SUB-SCAN FEEDING BETWEEN MONOCHROMATIC
AND COLOR AREAS

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2004, please consider the remarks as
submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

REMARKS

Foreign Priority:

Applicant thanks the Examiner for acknowledging Applicant's claim to foreign priority
under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d), and for confirming that the certified copy of the priority document
has been received at the Patent Office.

Drawings:

Applicant thanks the Examiner for indicating that the drawings filed with the present
application have been approved.